Docket No. 05058/76501

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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U.S. Application of:

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2624

Examiner:

Douglas Q. Tran

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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**AMENDMENT** 

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2001, which provides for a response period ending June 14, 2001.

In accordance with the most recent rule changes, amendments to the claims are presented herein by presenting a complete set of pending claims, as amended, in clean

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| PATENT APPLICATION IS:  |              |   |                  |                                |   | Director for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on June 13, 2001 |         |                  |            |  |
| (A) A response to the Office Action dated: March 13, 2001   |              |   |                  |                                |   | Date of Deposit<br>Brian E. Harris                             |         |                  |            |  |
| <ul> <li>(B) A Petition for Extension of Time</li> <li>☐ for 1 month</li> <li>☐ for 2 months</li> <li>☐ for 3 months;</li> <li>A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed.</li> </ul> |              |   |                  |                                |   | Name of Applicant, Assignee, or Registered Representative      |         |                  |            |  |
| for 1 month for 2 months for 3 months  (C) A request for approval of proposed drawing changes.  |              |   |                  |                                |   | Signature  June 13, 2001                                       |         |                  |            |  |
| (D) A Notice of Appeal. \$ (E) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$   |              |   |                  |                                |   | Date of Signature  |         |                  |            |  |
| (G) A verified s Small entity   |              | establish small of er 37 CFR § 1.27                     | -                |                                |   | and 1.27   |         |                  |            |  |
| The claims:   | fee, if any, | has been calcula  | ted as shown b   | pelow                          | <b>G</b>  | . F  |         |                  | _          |  |
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A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

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